

Chapter 300

Bases - 13

This chapter is not part of the Project's specifications, but is a guide for project personnel in interpreting CDOT specifications, understanding ASTM, AASHTO and Colorado test procedures (CPs), and for completing CDOT forms.

The design and construction of a pavement structure may include one or more base courses. A base course is a layer of material below the wearing surface of a pavement. Bases may be constructed of gravels, mixtures of soil and aggregate, mixtures of asphalt and aggregate, mixtures of cement and aggregate or soil, or other innovative materials. Bases may be made of unbound materials, such as gravel, or bound materials, such as lime treated subgrade.

Base courses under concrete pavements provide a drainage layer, reduce pumping, provide protection against frost damage, and provide support for the heavy equipment used for placing concrete pavements. There is some increase in structural capacity when a base is placed under a concrete pavement, but it is typically not a significant amount.

Base courses under flexible pavements provide a significant increase in structural capacity. Pavement design of flexible pavement depends on the wheel loads being distributed over a greater area as the depth of the pavement structure increases. There are the added benefits of improved drainage and protection against frost damage.

ITEM 206 STRUCTURE BACKFILL ITEM 304 AGGREGATE BASE COURSE

Compaction of unbound bases is important for the stability of the pavement it supports. The maximum dry density is established in the laboratory before construction. During construction measurements of the base dry density are compared to the maximum dry density. The requirements for compaction of

aggregate base course (ABC) are shown in Subsection 304.06 of the Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction. Structure Backfill has similar requirements as shown in Subsection 206.03.

Two methods to determine maximum dry density of soils are AASHTO T 99 and AASHTO T 180. AASHTO T 99 is similar to ASTM D 698 and is commonly referred to as the Proctor Test, as it was first proposed by R. R. Proctor in 1933. AASHTO T 99 uses a 5.5 lb. rammer dropped from 12 in. When a 4 in. mold is used, three layers are compacted with 25 blows on each layer. When a 6 in. mold is used, three layers are compacted with 56 blows on each layer. AASHTO T 99 results in a compactive effort of 12,400 ft-lbf/ft³. AASHTO T 180 is similar to ASTM D 1557 and is commonly referred to as the Modified Proctor Test. AASHTO T 180 uses a 10 lb. rammer dropped from 18 in. When a 4 in. mold is used, five layers are compacted with 25 blows on each layer. When a 6 in. mold is used, five layers are compacted with 56 blows on each layer. This results in a compactive effort of 56,000 ft-lbf/ft³. Comparing compactive efforts, AASHTO T 180 produces four and a half times the compactive effort than a sample receives compacted according to AASHTO T 99.

AASHTO T 99 is the appropriate standard for compaction of cohesive soils, particularly if there is the potential for swelling when saturated. AASHTO T 180 is appropriate for granular soils, such as aggregate base course and Structure Backfill, Class 1.

There are four methods of determining moisture-density relationships by AASHTO T 180:

- Method A uses a 4 in. mold and the fraction of the soil passing a No. 4 sieve. AASHTO states that this is applicable to soil mixtures that have 40% or less retained on a No. 4 sieve.
- Method B uses a 6 in. mold and the fraction of the soil passing a No. 4 sieve. AASHTO

states that this is applicable to soil mixtures that have 40% or less retained on a No. 4 sieve.

- Method C uses a 4 in. mold and the fraction of the soil passing a 3/4 in. sieve. AASHTO states that this is applicable to soil mixtures that have 30% or less retained on a 3/4 in. sieve.
- Method D uses a 6 in. mold and the fraction of the soil passing a 3/4 in. sieve. AASHTO states that this is applicable to soil mixtures that have 30% or less retained on a 3/4 in. sieve.

The gradation requirements for Class 1 Structure Backfill and ABC are shown in Subsections 703.08 and 703.03 respectively. A review of the gradation requirements shows that many granular materials will meet the gradation requirements and exceed the limits of application stated in AASHTO T 180.

Colorado has developed a rock correction formula in Colorado Procedure 23 (CP 23) when AASHTO T180 is used:

$$MDD = (P_f \times D_f + P_c \times 0.95 D_c) / 100$$

The standard practice within the Department follows:

- 110 lbs. of granular material are sampled and sent to the laboratory before construction begins. This would typically require two standard sample bags.
- The material is separated into two fractions, material retained on a No. 4 sieve and material passing a No. 4 sieve.
- The specific gravity and absorption of the material retained on a No. 4 sieve is determined according to AASHTO T 85 Specific Gravity and Absorption of Coarse Aggregate.
- The maximum dry density and optimum moisture of the material passing a No. 4

sieve is determined according to AASHTO T 180, Method A.

- For bases with crushed concrete or reclaimed asphalt pavement (RAP), an accurate specific gravity determination is difficult to make. For these materials T 180, Method D is used.
- Method D may be used if more than 30% of the material is retained on the No. 4 sieve, but has 30% or less of the material retained on the 3/4 inch sieve. When Method D is used, use the above procedure but substitute the 3/4 inch sieve for the No. 4 sieve.

During construction the control of compaction follows according to the plans, specifications, and the Frequency Guide Schedule for Minimum Materials Sampling, Testing and Inspection. Each field test must include a separation of the sample into the two fractions, material retained on a No. 4 sieve and material passing a No. 4 sieve. Percent relative compaction is determined according to CP 25. CP 23 is used to correct the maximum dry density and optimum moisture for soil-rock mixtures with more than 5% material retained on a No. 4 sieve.

ITEM 308 PORTLAND CEMENT & FLY ASH

Sources of portland cement and/or fly ash are listed on the Department's Approved Product List. To verify a specific cementitious material that may be considered for a project check if the supplier / manufacturer of the cement or fly ash is on the Approved Products List at the web site address of:

www.coloradodot.info/business/APL/ .

If a manufacturer wants to add a cement or fly ash source use the same web site and follow the instructions within Notice to Manufacturers and also follow all references within CP 11.

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				Project No. IM 0253-151		Project location I-25, SH 7 to WCR 16	
Metric units <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no				Project code (SA#) 11925		Function 3200	
				Region 4		Part. P	

Structure Backfill			Field office phone number 303-828-0386		
			Field office FAX number 303-828-0430		
Item 206	Class 1	Grading	Special provisions applicable: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no		
Previously used on Project No.:		Previous CDOT Form #157 F/S No.(s):	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CDOT Form #633 (sack) <input type="checkbox"/> CDOT Form #634 (can)		

● Sample Identification: Quantity & Unit of material submitted, describe tests required, precise location sample removed from (stationing), etc.
 ● Materials Documentation: Field inspected (describe appearance, weight/dimensions, model/serial number), COC &/or CTR provided, etc.

Submitting (2) sacks of Structure Backfill material.

Perform the following tests for compliance w/Specifications.

Gradation

Atterberg Limits

M/D Curve W/Rock Correction

APL/QML Acceptance: APL Ref. No.	Product name:	Date checked:
APL/QML Acceptance: APL Ref. No.	Product name:	Date checked:

Preliminary Construction Maintenance Emergency <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	Date needed ASAP
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Contractor Kraemer and Sons	Supplier Kraemer and Sons
Sampled from (Pit, roadway, windrow, stock, etc.) Stockpile	Pit name or owner Varra

Quantity represented 1/source/project	Previous quantity N/A	Total quantity to date N/A
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Sample submitted: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Shipped to: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Central lab <input type="checkbox"/> Region lab	Via Geocal	Date 5/6/02
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Sampled or inspected by (Name) Raymie Parington	(Title) Technician	Lab phone number 720-371-0767
Supervisor (Pro./Res./Matis. Engr./Maint. Supt.) Corey Stewart	Title P.E. I	Address 1050 Lee Hill Rd. Boulder, Co. 80302

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Metric units <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no		Project No. IM-0253-151		Project location I-25, SH 7 to WCR 16	
		Project code (SA#) 11925		Function 3200	Region 4
				Part. P	

Sample submitted: <small>(i.e.: Soil, ABC, Hydrated lime, HMA, concrete cores, steel, etc.)</small>			Field office phone number 303-828-0386		
Aggregate Base Course			Field office FAX number 303-828-0430		
Item 304	Class 6	Grading	Special provisions applicable: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no		
Previously used on Project No.:		Previous CDOT Form #157 F/S No.(s):	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CDOT Form #633 (sack) <input type="checkbox"/> CDOT Form #634 (can)		
● Sample Identification: Quantity & Unit of material submitted, describe tests required, precise location sample removed from (stationing), etc. ● Materials Documentation: Field inspected (describe appearance, weight/dimensions, model/serial number), COC &/or CTR provided, etc.					
Submitting (6) sacks of 304 ABC Class 6 for:					
*Gradation					
*R Value (min 78)					
*T180 Method D					
*Atterberg Limits					
As per project specials and the CDOT FMM.					
APL/QML Acceptance: APL Ref. No.		Product name:		Date checked:	
APL/QML Acceptance: APL Ref. No.		Product name:		Date checked:	
Preliminary <input type="checkbox"/>		Construction <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Date needed 10/11/2002	
Maintenance <input type="checkbox"/>		Emergency <input type="checkbox"/>			
Contractor Kraemer and Sons		Supplier Hamms Operation			
Sampled from <small>(Pit, roadway, windrow, stock, etc.)</small> Benched Stockpile		Pit name or owner Hamms Operation			
Quantity represented 1/source/project		Previous quantity 1/source/project		Total quantity to date 1/source/project	
Sample submitted: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Shipped to: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Central lab <input type="checkbox"/> Region lab		Via Geocal	
				Date 10/04/2002	
Sampled or inspected by (Name) Dave Buck		(Title) Q. A. Tech		Lab phone number 303-828-2644	
Supervisor <small>(Pro./Res./Matls. Engr./Maint. Supt.)</small> Corey Stewart		Title P. E. I		Address 1050 Lee Hill Rd. Boulder, Co. 80302	

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Metric units <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no		Project No. <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">IM0253-151</div>		Project location <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">I-25, SH 7 to WCR 16</div>	
Project code (SA#) <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">11925</div>		Function <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">3200</div>		Region <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">4</div>	
Part. <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">P</div>					

Sample submitted: <small>(i.e.: Soil, ABC, Hydrated lime, HMA, concrete cores, steel, etc.)</small>		Field office phone number <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">303-828-0386</div>
<div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-weight: bold;">Aggregate Base Course</div>		Field office FAX number <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">303-828-0430</div>

Item <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">304</div>	Class <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">6</div>	Grading	Special provisions applicable: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no
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- Sample Identification: Quantity & Unit of material submitted, describe tests required, precise location sample removed from (stationing), etc.
- Materials Documentation: Field inspected (describe appearance, weight/dimensions, model/serial number), COC &/or CTR provided, etc.

Submittin (2) sacks of Aggregate Base Course to be tested as follows:

Gradation, (CP-31), Atterberg Limits, (T-89 and T-90).

APL/QML Acceptance: APL Ref. No.	Product name:	Date checked:
APL/QML Acceptance: APL Ref. No.	Product name:	Date checked:

Preliminary Construction Maintenance Emergency <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	Date needed <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">ASAP</div>
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Contractor <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">Kraemer and Sons</div>	Supplier <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">Cat Construction</div>
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Sampled from <small>(Pit, roadway, windrow, stock, etc.)</small> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">Belt</div>	Pit name or owner <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">Goose Haven</div>
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Quantity represented <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">2000 Tons</div>	Previous quantity <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">4000 Tons</div>	Total quantity to date <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">6000 Tons</div>
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Sample submitted: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Shipped to: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Central lab <input type="checkbox"/> Region lab	Via <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">Geocal</div>	Date <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">7/30/03</div>
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Sampled or inspected by (Name) <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">R. Partington</div>	(Title) <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">Technician</div>	Lab phone number <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">303-828-2644</div>
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Supervisor <small>(Pro./Res./Matis. Engr/Maint. Supt.)</small> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">Corey Stewart</div>	Title <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">P.E. I</div>	Address <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">1050 Lee Hill Rd. Boulder, Co. 80302</div>
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Metric units <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no				Project No. IM0253-151		Project location I-25, SH 7 to WCR 16	
				Project code (SA#) 11925		Function 3200	
				Region 4		Part. P	

Sample submitted: <small>(ie: Soil, ABC, Hydrated lime, HMA, concrete cores, steel, etc.)</small>			Field office phone number 303-828-0386	
Hydrated Lime			Field office FAX number 303-828-0430	
Item 307	Class	Grading	Special provisions applicable: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no	
Previously used on Project No.:		Previous CDOT Form #157 F/S No(s):		<input type="checkbox"/> CDOT Form #633 (sack) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CDOT Form #634 (can)

● Sample Identification: Quantity & Unit of material submitted, describe tests required, precise location sample removed from (stationing), etc.
● Materials Documentation: Field inspected (describe appearance, weight/dimensions, model/serial number), COC &/or CTR provided, etc.

Submitting one can of Hydrated Lime for Gradation.

CTR for chemical testing is retained in the project

files and a copy was sent to the Region 4 Materials Engineer

for review. This lime is listed on CDOT's QML.

mix #142010

APL/QML Acceptance: APL Ref. No.		Product name:		Date checked:	
APL/QML Acceptance: APL Ref. No.		Product name:		Date checked:	
Preliminary <input type="checkbox"/>		Construction <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Maintenance <input type="checkbox"/>	
		Emergency <input type="checkbox"/>		Date needed ASAP	
Contractor Kraemer and Sons			Supplier Pete Lein		
Sampled from <small>(Pit, roadway, windrow, stock, etc.)</small> Hopper			Pit name or owner Distel Plant		
Quantity represented 1st 10 K		Previous quantity 0		Total quantity to date 1st 10K	
Sample submitted: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Shipped to: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Central lab <input type="checkbox"/> Region lab		Via Geocal	
Date 7/9/03					
Sampled or inspected by (Name) D. Elsbernd		(Title) QA Tech		Lab phone number 303-828-2644	
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Colorado Department of Transportation
AGGREGATE TEST REPORT
Field Sheet No: 149102
Date Submitted 12/23/2003
Item Number: 304

Project ID: 11925
Project: IM 0253-151
Location: SH 7 to WCR 16
Date Sent: 12/24/2003
Pit Owner: DUNES PARK
Region: 04

Aggregate Test Report

Sampled From: WINDROW
Materials Description: CLASS 3 ABC
Central Lab Test No.: 2003937X
Project ID:

SPECIFICATIONS

(Grading AASHTO - T27)

Passing	6	Inch	100%	6	Inch (152.4 mm)
Passing	4	Inch	100%	4	Inch (101.6 mm)
Passing	3	Inch	100%	3	Inch (76.2 mm)
Passing	2 1/2	Inch	100%	2 1/2	Inch (63.5 mm)
Passing	2	Inch	86%	2	Inch (50.8 mm)
Passing	1 1/2	Inch	80%	1 1/2	Inch (38.1 mm)
Passing	1	Inch	72%	1	Inch (25.4 mm)
Passing	3/4	Inch	67%	3/4	Inch (19.0 mm)
Passing	1/2	Inch	61%	1/2	Inch (12.7 mm)
Passing	3/8	Inch	57%	3/8	Inch (9.51 mm)
Passing	#4		47%	#4	(4.75 mm)
Passing	#8		35%	#8	(2.36 mm)
Passing	#16		23%	#16	(1.18 mm)
Passing	#30		14%	#30	(600 mu)
Passing	#50		7%	#50	(300 mu)
Passing	#100		4%	#100	(150 mu)
Passing	#200		3.3%	20 MAX.	#200 (75 mu)

Fractured Faces (CP45):

Abrasion (%Wear) (T96):

Liquid Limit (T89): NV

Plastic Limit (T90):

Plastic Index (T90): NP

"R" Value (T190):

* Indicates Deviation from
Specification Requirements.

Fine Aggregate Bulk sp.g.: App. sp.g.: % Abs.:

Course Aggregate Bulk sp.g.: App. sp.g.: % Abs.:

Remarks:

cc:

Central Laboratory
Regional Materials Engineer

Glenn Frieler
Concrete/ Physical Properties Program Manager

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COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION STRUCTURE BACKFILL DENSITY REPORT	Project No. IM 0253-151	
	Proj. location I-25, SH 7 to WCR 16	
	Date 2/14/03	Region 4
	Project code (SA#) 11925	

Major Structures

Number of Structures: (1 test/200 cu. yds.; minimum 1/structure) 2	Class 1 (cu. yds.)	No. of tests	Class 2 (cu. yds.)	No. of tests
Total cu. yds. structure backfill: 1910	1350	7	560	3

Cross Drains

Number of Cross Drains: (1 test/200 cu. yds.; minimum 1/structure) 8	Class 1 (cu. yds.)	No. of tests	Class 2 (cu. yds.)	No. of tests
Total cu. yds. structure backfill: 1800	1800	10		

Side Drains

Number of Side Drains: (1 test/200 cu. yds.; minimum 1/structure) 6	Class 1 (cu. yds.)	No. of tests	Class 2 (cu. yds.)	No. of tests
Total cu. yds. structure backfill: 750	450	6	300	6

Other

	Class 1 (cu. yds.)	No. of tests	Class 2 (cu. yds.)	No. of tests

Remarks	
Signed Fidel Gonzalez	Title E/PS Tech III

☐ Resident Engineer. ☐ Materials & Geotechnical Branch (Documentation Unit)

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COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION		Project no. IM 0253-151	
SOILS AND AGGREGATES SIEVE ANALYSIS		Project code (SA#) 11925	
WHEN SPLITTING ON THE No. 4 SIEVE		Item 304	Class 1

Pit name Goose Haven		Station 385+80		Test no. 3	Sample weight 49.70	Date 10/10/03
Sieve	Wet wt.	Dry wt.	Individual percentage	Percent passing	Specs	Liquid limit NV Plastic limit NP Plastic index NP Soil class. N/A "R" value 80 Sampled by Tested by
2 1/2	—	—	0.0	100.0	100	Moisture correction Plus #4 moisture sample Wet weight 1587.0 Dry weight 1545.0 Loss 42.0 % moisture 2.7 Minus #4 moisture sample Wet weight 584.0 Dry weight 560.0 Loss 24.0 % moisture 4.3
2	—	—	0.0	100.0	95-100	
1 1/2	1.92	1.87	3.9	96.1		
1	10.28	10.01	20.8	75.3		
3/4	4.26	4.15	8.6	66.7		
1/2	4.24	4.13	8.6	58.1		
3/8	1.57	1.53	3.2	54.9		
+ #4	4.83	4.70	9.8	45.1	30-60	
- #4	22.60	21.67	45.1	40.2		
Total	49.70	48.06	100.0	17.5		
				#200	9.3	5-12

Minus #4 wash					
Wet weight (grams)	Sieve	Weight (grams)	Individual percentage	Percent passing	
	# 8	61	10.9	89.1	
	# 50	282	50.3	38.8	
Dry weight (grams)	#200	101	18.1	20.7	
	- #200	116	20.7		
560	Total	560	100.0		

Weighing Individually

NOTE: Save all material until calculations are completed in case a check is necessary

Pit name		Station		Test no. 3	Sample weight 49.70	Date 10/10/03
Sieve	Wet wt.	Dry wt.	Individual percentage	Percent passing	Specs	Liquid limit NV Plastic limit NP Plastic index NP Soil class. N/A "R" value 80 Sampled by Tested by
2 1/2	—	—	0.0	100	100	Moisture correction Plus #4 moisture sample Wet weight 1587.0 Dry weight 1545.0 Loss 42.0 % moisture 4.3 Minus #4 moisture sample Wet weight 584 Dry weight 560 Loss 24 % moisture 4.3
2	—	—	0.0	100	95-100	
1 1/2	1.92	1.87	3.9	96.1		
1	12.20	11.88	24.7	75.3		
3/4	16.46	16.03	33.3	66.7		
1/2	20.70	30.16	41.9	58.1		
3/8	22.27	21.68	45.1	54.9		
+ #4	27.10	26.39	54.9	45.1	30-60	
- #4	22.60	21.67	45.1	40.2		
Total	49.70	48.06	100	17.5		
				#200	9.3	5-12

Minus #4 wash					
Wet weight (grams)	Sieve	Weight (grams)	Individual percentage	Percent passing	
	# 8	61	10.9	89.1	
	# 50	343	61.2	38.8	
Dry weight (grams)	#200	444	79.3	20.7	
	- #200	116	20.7		
560	Total	560	100.0		

Weighing Accumulatively

COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION						Project no. IM 0253-151	
SOILS AND AGGREGATES SIEVE ANALYSIS						Project code (SA#) 11925	
WHEN SPLITTING ON THE No. 4 SIEVE						Item 304	Class 1

Pit name Goose Haven		Station 410+10		Test no. 4	Sample weight 22.35	Date 10/10/03
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Sieve	Wet wt.	Dry wt.	Individual percentage	Percent passing	Specs	Liquid limit	Moisture correction
						NV	
						NP	Plus #4 moisture sample
						NP	Wet weight
						N/A	Dry weight
							Loss
						80	% moisture
							Minus #4 moisture sample
							Wet weight 490.0
							Dry weight 478.0
							Loss 12.0
							% moisture 2.5
2 1/2				100	100		
2		0.66	3.0	97.0	95-100		
1 1/2		3.32	15.0	82.0			
1		1.44	6.5	75.5			
3/4		1.62	7.3	68.2			
1/2		2.58	11.7	56.5			
3/8		1.48	6.7	49.8			
+ #4		1.05	4.8	45.0	30-60		
- #4	10.20	9.95	45.0	#8 37.9			
Total	22.35	22.10	100.0	#50 24.9			
				#200 7.2	5-12		

Minus #4 wash				
Wet weight (grams)	Sieve	Weight (grams)	Individual percentage	Percent passing
	# 8	75	15.7	84.3
	# 50	138	28.9	55.4
Dry weight (grams)	#200	189	39.5	15.9
	- #200	76	15.9	
478	Total	478	100.0	

Weighing Individually

NOTE: Save all material until calculations are completed in case a check is necessary

Pit name Goose Haven		Station 410+10		Test no. 4	Sample weight 22.35	Date 10/10/03
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Sieve	Wet wt.	Dry wt.	Individual percentage	Percent passing	Specs	Liquid limit	Moisture correction
						NV	
						NP	Plus #4 moisture sample
						NP	Wet weight
						N/A	Dry weight
							Loss
						80	% moisture
							Minus #4 moisture sample
							Wet weight 490.0
							Dry weight 478.0
							Loss 12.0
							% moisture 2.5
2 1/2				100	100		
2		0.66	3.0	97.0	95-100		
1 1/2		3.98	18.0	82.0			
1		5.42	24.5	75.5			
3/4		7.04	31.8	68.2			
1/2		9.62	43.5	56.5			
3/8		11.10	50.2	49.8			
+ #4		12.15	55.0	45.0	30-60		
- #4	10.20	9.95	45.0	#8 37.9			
Total	22.35	22.10	100.0	#50 24.9			
				#200 7.2	5-12		

Minus #4 wash				
Wet weight (grams)	Sieve	Weight (grams)	Individual percentage	Percent passing
	# 8	75	15.7	84.3
	# 50	213	44.6	55.4
Dry weight (grams)	#200	402	84.1	15.9
	- #200	76	15.9	
478	Total	478	100.0	

Weighing Accumulatively

CDOT FORM # 565 INSTRUCTIONS

This form is a field work sheet for use when testing aggregates in accordance with CP 31 when the maximum nominal particle size is less than 3/4 in.

This procedure allows for the total dry weight (mass) of the specimen, before washing, to be determined by either drying the total specimen or correcting it to dry weight (mass) using a moisture specimen of the same gradation and approximate weight (mass) as the specimen for wash.

Example No. 1 illustrates using a separate moisture specimen to correct the wet weight (mass) of the wash specimen to dry weight (mass).

Example No. 2 illustrates drying the total specimen to be washed and sieved. The percent moisture may be calculated if desired.

When correcting to dry weight (mass) by the use of a moisture specimen, it is very important that the specimen for wash and the specimen for moisture be taken and weighed at the same time. It is also important that the samples be as nearly identical in weight (mass) and gradation as possible.

NOTE: CDOT Form #565 was revised on 01/2013. The example still depicts the previous revision date of 4/07.

COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION SIEVE ANALYSIS FOR AGGREGATES NOT SPLIT ON THE No. 4 SIEVE					Project no. IM 0253-151		Project code (SA#) 11925	
					Proj. location I-25 SH 7 to WCR 16			
					Pit name Goose Haven			
					Item 203		Class R-50 (spec)	

Station 2588+15 13' lt.			Test # 13		Station 3000+00 5' rt			Test # 14	
Specimen wt (dry) 772.2			Date 6/5/02		Specimen wt (dry) 15962.9			Date 6/5/03	

Sieve	Weight	Percent retained	Percent passing	Specs	Sieve	Weight	Percent retained	Percent passing	Specs
2"1					2"1	341.1	2.1	97.9	
1 1/2"					1 1/2"	758.1	4.7	93.3	
1"					1"	1617.7	10.1	89.9	
3/4"					3/4"	2103.2	13.2	86.8	
1/2"					1/2"	2698.7	16.9	83.1	
3/8"					3/8"	2967.9	18.6	81.4	
#4	0.3	0	100		#4	3503.7	21.9	78.1	
#10	39.8	5.2	94.8		#10	4150.4	26.0	74.0	
#16	84.8	11.0	89.0		#16	4868.7	30.5	69.5	
#40	258.2	33.4	66.6		#40	7662.2	48.0	25.0	
#50	379.0	49.1	50.9		#50	9609.7	60.2	39.8	
#100	577.9	74.8	25.2		#100	12818.2	80.3	19.7	
#200	668.6	86.6	13.4		#200	14286.8	89.5	10.5	
-#200	5.7				-#200	10.5			
TOTAL	674.3				TOTAL	14297.3			

Gradation Sample		Moisture Sample	Gradation Sample		Moisture Sample
Pan ID			Pan ID		
Pan weight			Pan weight		
Wet weight + Pan			Wet weight + Pan		
Wet weight		A	Wet weight		A
		702.6			702.2
Dry weight + Pan			Dry weight + Pan		
Dry weight		B	Dry weight		B
		650.6			650.1
Dry wash weight	H ₂ O Loss	52.0	Dry wash weight	H ₂ O Loss	52.1
-#200	% H ₂ O	8.0	-#200	% H ₂ O	8.0
Wet weight + (100 + % H ₂ O) x 100 = Dry weight			Wet weight + (100 + % H ₂ O) x 100 = Dry weight		
A 834.0 + (100 + 8.0) x 100 = B 772.2			A 17239.9 + (100 + 8.0) x 100 = B 15962.9		
Sampled by Dave Buck		Tested by John Assad	Sampled by Dave Buck		Tested by John Assad

NOTE: Save all material until calculations are complete in case check is necessary.

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CDOT Form #633, Materials Sample Tag

Revision Date 05/2013

Actual required size 8" x 2 5/8" with a detachable stub and with a wire tie through a reinforced hole located on left side of the tag so as to attach to cans, bags, etc.

Paper stock as used in the past.

The example below is not to scale.

Contract ID # (Project Code) 11925	Material Code 403.02.0121	Contract ID # 11925
Sample ID #	FS # 120027 Test # 4A	Sample ID #
Lab Ref. #		FS # 120027 Test # 4A
Item # 403 Container 1 of 8		Station Cooley Morrison Quarry 3/4 Rock
COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION		Depth 5'
Materials & Geotechnical Branch		Item # 403
4670 N. Holly St. Denver, Unit A		Container 1 of 8
Denver, CO 80216-6408	CDOT Form# 633 05/2013	DETACH STUB AND PLACE IN CONTAINER

COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION STABILOMETER RECORD OF ITEM 304 ABC					Project No. IM 0253-151		Region 4
					Project code (SA#) 11925		
					Proj. location I-25 SH 7 to WCR 16		
Pit name Goose Haven			Date 3/21/01	Field sample # 130152		Lab # 13A	
Represents 304			LL NV	PL	Pt NP	SE	Class 6

GRADATION				Stabilometer "R" value: 78	
Sieve size	As run % passing	Scalp	Set up	% moisture at	lbs. per cu. ft.
4"				% Moisture - #4 Material 0.85 X	
3"				Weight of - #4 Material _____ =	
2 1/2"				Weight of H ₂ O _____ +	
2"				Initial H ₂ O added 50 =	
1 1/2"				Total initial H ₂ O _____ (A)	
1"				COMPACTION	
3/4"	100	100		Cylinder # 3	4
1/2"	89	89	11 %	H ₂ O added (B) 65	75
3/8"	73	73	27 %	Exudation pressure, lbs 10000	2960
#4	47	47	53 %	Exudation pressure, PSI 796	236
#8	36			Ht. of briquette (H) 2.41	2.40
#16	29			Wt. cylinder & wet sample 3275	3282
#50	18			Cylinder tare 2115	2117
#100	13			Wet wt. of sample (W _w) 1160	1165
#200	9			¹ Weight of H ₂ O (C) _____	
Set up weights -3/4" + 1/2" 121 -1/2" + 3/8" 297 -3/8" + #4 583 - #4 1100				² Dry wt. (D) _____	
				³ % Moisture (M) _____	
				⁴ Density _____	
				Height correction by wt. _____	
				STABILOMETER	
Total load PSI					
1000	80				
2000	160	15			
Displacement turns		5.52			
"R" value		4.38			
Drainage		5.24			
Exp. pressure dial reading		81(80)			
		77(76)			
		81(80)			

¹ (A) + (B) = (C)
² (W_w) - (C) = (D)
³ (C) + (D) = (M)
⁴ (W_w) x 30.3
(100 + M) x H

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COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Granular Material Moisture - Density Report

Project ID 11925 **Location** SH 7 TO WCR 16
Project IM 0253-151 **Source** GOOSE HAVEN **Report Date**
F.S. # 98765 **Region** 04 **Construction** 3200
Engineer Glenn Frieler, Concrete/ Physical Properties Program Manager
Comments 304 CLASS 6 ABC

Lab #	Sp. G.	Absorption
2002-0522	2.57	1.3

Lab Tests:	Method: T180A				
Test	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5
Moisture	4.7	6.7	9.2	11.5	
Dry Density	126.4	130.2	131.1	125.6	

Moisture Chart:

%H2O	Dry Density	%H2O	Dry Density	%H2O	Dry Density	%H2O	Dry Density
5.0	127.1	7.2	130.9	9.4	130.8		
5.1	127.3	7.3	131.0	9.5	130.7		
5.2	127.6	7.4	131.1	9.6	130.6		
5.3	127.8	7.5	131.1	9.7	130.5		
5.4	128.0	7.6	131.2	9.8	130.3		
5.5	128.2	7.7	131.3	9.9	130.1		
5.6	128.4	7.8	131.3	10.0	129.9		
5.7	128.6	7.9	131.4	10.1	129.8		
5.8	128.8	8.0	131.4	10.2	129.6		
5.9	129.0	8.1	131.4	10.3	129.3		
6.0	129.2	8.2	131.4	10.4	129.1		
6.1	129.4	8.3	131.4	10.5	128.9		
6.2	129.5	8.4	131.4	10.6	128.6		
6.3	129.7	8.5	131.4	10.7	128.3		
6.4	129.9	8.6	131.4	10.8	128.1		
6.5	130.0	8.7	131.4	10.9	127.8		
6.6	130.2	8.8	131.3				
6.7	130.3	8.9	131.3				
6.8	130.4	9.0	131.2				
6.9	130.6	9.1	131.1				
7.0	130.7	9.2	131.1				
7.1	130.8	9.3	131.0				

Glenn Frieler

Optimum Moisture : 8.3

Maximum Dry Density : 131.4

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Granular Material Moisture - Density Report

Rock Correction Chart:

-4 Material

%+4	%H2O	Dry Density	%+4	%H2O	Dry Density	%+4	%H2O	Dry Density
0	8.3	131.4	20	6.9	134.0	40	5.5	136.6
1	8.2	131.6	21	6.8	134.2	41	5.4	136.7
2	8.2	131.7	22	6.8	134.3	42	5.4	136.9
3	8.1	131.8	23	6.7	134.4	43	5.3	137.0
4	8.0	132.0	24	6.6	134.5	44	5.2	137.1
5	8.0	132.1	25	6.6	134.7	45	5.2	137.2
6	7.9	132.2	26	6.5	134.8	46	5.1	137.4
7	7.8	132.3	27	6.4	134.9	47	5.0	137.5
8	7.8	132.5	28	6.4	135.1	48	4.9	137.6
9	7.7	132.6	29	6.3	135.2	49	4.9	137.8
10	7.6	132.7	30	6.2	135.3	50	4.8	137.9
11	7.5	132.9	31	6.1	135.4	51	4.7	138.0
12	7.5	133.0	32	6.1	135.6	52	4.7	138.1
13	7.4	133.1	33	6.0	135.7	53	4.6	138.3
14	7.3	133.3	34	5.9	135.8	54	4.5	138.4
15	7.3	133.4	35	5.9	136.0	55	4.5	138.5
16	7.2	133.5	36	5.8	136.1	56	4.4	138.7
17	7.1	133.6	37	5.7	136.2	57	4.3	138.8
18	7.1	133.8	38	5.7	136.3	58	4.2	138.9
19	7.0	133.9	39	5.6	136.5	59	4.2	139.0

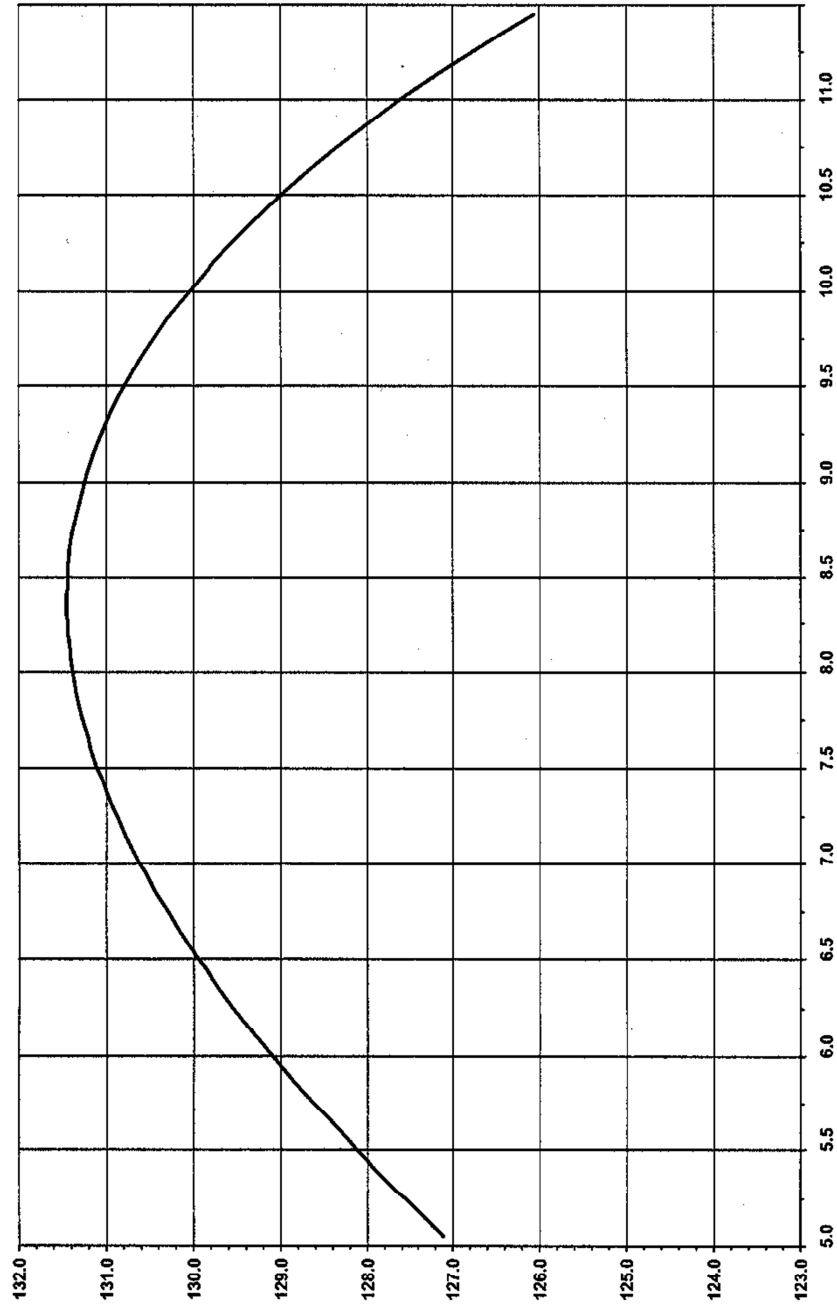
Optimum Moisture: 8.3

Maximum Dry Density: 131.4

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Granular Material Moisture - Density Curve

Moisture Density Curve



(CDOT #1296 9/2002)

Maximum Dry Density: 131.4

Optimum Moisture: 8.3

Labno: 2002-0522

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